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NOTICE OF INFORMAL STAKEHOLDER WORKSHOPS/ ORAL PROCEEDINGS/PUBLIC HEARINGS First Quarter 2004

Maricopa County Environmental Services Department, Air Quality Division, will conduct Informal Stakeholder Workshops, Oral Proceedings, and Public Hearings regarding the Maricopa County Air Pollution Control Regulations according to the schedule provided in this notice. If the information in this notice changes, the change(s) will be announced on the Internet (at the web site address listed below) and on Maricopa County's Workshop Update Line (listed below).

All **Workshops** and **Oral Proceedings** will be held at 1001 North Central Avenue, Phoenix, Arizona, **Room 560** unless otherwise noted. Draft rules may be picked up at 1001 North Central Avenue, **Suite #201**, Phoenix, Arizona, or on the web at <http://www.maricopa.gov/envsvc/air/workshops.asp>. For current information on workshop times and locations, call our Workshop Update Line at **(602) 506-0169**. For questions or additional information, call the contact person listed or **(602) 506-7396**.

Public Hearings are held at: Maricopa County Board of Supervisors' Auditorium
205 West Jefferson Street, Phoenix, Arizona

For rules going to public hearing, a summary of the proposed action, a summary of comments and departmental responses and a demonstration of compliance with A.R.S. 49 Subpart 112 A or 112 B will be available along with the draft rules at 1001 North Central Avenue, **Suite #201**, Phoenix, Arizona.

Rules are effective as of the date of approval by the Board of Supervisors unless an effective date for certain revisions is otherwise noted within the text of the rule.

A sign language interpreter, alternative form materials, or infrared assistive listening devices will be made available at the Public Workshops and Hearings upon request with 72 hours notice. Additional reasonable accommodations will be made available to the extent possible within the time frame of the request. Requests should be made to (602) 506-4057.

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January – March 2004
INFORMAL STAKEHOLDER WORKSHOPS

RULE/TITLE	DRAFT AVAILABLE	WORKSHOP DATE	TIME	COMMENTS DUE	CONTACT
242, Emission Reduction Credit For Paving Unpaved Roads	1/8/04	1/22/04	9:00 AM	1/30/04	Nelson
313, Incinerators, Crematories, And Burn-Off Ovens	3/4/04	3/18/04	9:00 AM	3/26/04	Nelson
Dust Control/Demolition Permit Application Guidance Document	01/14/04 (TENTATIVE)	01/21/04 (TENTATIVE)	1:30 PM	01/30/04	Kuspert

January – March 2004
ORAL PROCEEDINGS

RULE/TITLE	PROCEEDING DATE	TIME	NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING PUBLISHED	FORMAL COMMENT PERIOD ENDS	CONTACT
331, Solvent Cleaning	2/5/04	9:00 AM	1/2/04	2/6/04	Kuspert

All Notice of Proposed Rulemaking are published in the Arizona Administrative Register. Notices can be found online at: <http://www.sosaz.com/aar/2003/contents.shtm>

January – March 2004
PUBLIC HEARINGS

RULE/TITLE	HEARING DATE	TIME	CONTACT
310, Fugitive Dust	3/17/04 (TENTATIVE)	9:00 AM	Kuspert

Informal Stakeholder Workshops, Oral Proceedings and Public Hearings are subject to change. Please call 602-506-0169 or go to <http://www.maricopa.gov/envsvc/air/workshops.asp> for updates.

REVISIONS TO BE DISCUSSED AT INFORMAL STAKEHOLDER WORKSHOPS

Rule 242 (Emission Reduction Credit For Paving Unpaved Roads)

Maricopa County will hold a second workshop for another draft of Rule 242 on January 22, 2004 to address comments received and issues that arose in the first workshop. Rule 242 is being proposed to meet an EPA request that offset requirements for unpaved roads in the PM₁₀ nonattainment area be federally enforceable. This rule will only affect existing sources that plan to make "major" modifications and new "major" sources that are required to offset their proposed emissions. The second draft will contain a definition of roadway segment and will include more detailed language on the traffic count requirements.

Dust Control/Demolition Permit Application Guidance Document

Maricopa County helped develop the revised 1999 Serious Area Particulate Plan for PM₁₀ and agreed to three commitments. One of which was to research, develop and incorporate additional requirements for dust suppression practices/equipment for construction activities into dust control plans and/or Rule 310. To meet this commitment, Maricopa County is developing a guidance document to accompany the Dust Control/Demolition Permit application. The guidance document will explain how best to provide the information that is required in each section of the application, including descriptions of control measures to meet the requirements under Rule 310 and site soil designations to meet the requirements under new Appendix F.

REVISIONS TO BE DISCUSSED AT INFORMAL STAKEHOLDER WORKSHOPS

Rule 313 (Incinerators, Crematories, And Burn-Off Ovens)

Maricopa County will hold a second workshop for another draft of Rule 313 on March 18, 2003. Proposed changes since the last workshop discussion will address the requirement for sources to adhere to EPA Performance Specification 1, 40 CFR, Part 60 for Continuous Opacity Monitoring Systems (COMS), if a source elects to perform burning at night. Method 9 for opacity will be added to the test methods adopted by reference section of the rule - Section 504. The compliance schedule in Section 401 will be expanded and clarified. There will also be some changes to the rule language for clarification and administrative reasons.

RULE SUMMARY FOR ORAL PROCEEDING

Rule 331 (Solvent Cleaning)

Rule 331 (Solvent Cleaning) regulates operations using volatile organic compound (VOC)-containing solvents in non-vapor batch cleaning machines, non-vapor in-line cleaning machines, batch-loaded vapor cleaning machines, and in-line vapor cleaning machines. Maricopa County Environmental Services Department (MCESD) adopted Rule 331 on April 7, 1999 and submitted Rule 331 to the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) for implementation into the Arizona State Implementation Plan (SIP). In the Federal Register on April 16, 2003, EPA issued a limited approval and limited disapproval of Rule 331 as adopted on April 7, 1999. EPA identified the following as deficiencies in Rule 331 and directed Maricopa County to correct such deficiencies: (1) The provisions of Rule 331 exempt sources that are not necessarily covered by any other federally approved rule, (2) Sections of Rule 331 provide methods of determining capture efficiency but do not refer to EPA's January 9, 1995 guidance document, *Guidelines For Determining Capture Efficiency*, describing calculation procedures, (3) Sections II and III of the appendix to Rule 331 do not clarify which and how standards are adjusted for boiling point, and (4) Section II(6) of the appendix to Rule 331 raises the threshold limit from 10.75 sq.ft. to 13 sq.ft. for additional control without adequately justifying this relaxation. The proposed revisions to Rule 331 address the four deficiencies and correct typographical and formatting errors.

RULE SUMMARY FOR PUBLIC HEARING

Rule 310 (Fugitive Dust)

Rule 310, originally adopted in July 1988, is Maricopa County's rule for controlling fugitive dust emissions. Because Maricopa County is a serious nonattainment area for PM₁₀, the Maricopa County Environmental Services Department (MCESD) helped develop a PM₁₀ serious area nonattainment plan for the Arizona State Implementation Plan. The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) approved the plan in April of 2002, contingent on the completion of three commitments by Maricopa County (See 65 Fed. Reg. 19964 (2000) and 67 Fed. Reg. 48717 (2002)). Revisions to Rule 310, Appendix C and new Appendix F address the commitments. Other revisions to Rule 310 and appendices improve clarity and fix typographical and formatting errors, so as to increase rule enforceability.